

Memorandum

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

TOWN OF

WEBSTER

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31, 1940

Annual Reports

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF WEBSTER

COMPRISING THOSE OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, ROAD AGENTS,
TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN,
SCHOOL BOARD, DISTRICT TREASURER,
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS,
LIBRARY TRUSTEE AND VITAL STATISTICS

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1940

TOWN OFFICERS**Moderator**

ARTHUR C. STEBBINS

Town Clerk

ADAM E. MOCK

Treasurer

EDWIN C. GERRISH

SelectmenHARRY H. KIMBALL LESLIE E. FROST
HOWARD E. DARLING**Supervisors**SARAH E. ALLEN AVIS L. HANCOCK
ETHEL HOWARD**Road Agents**PAUL P. MOCK DANIEL L. HOLMES
JOHN H. ALLEN**Library Trustees**BESSIE M. LITTLE ETHEL H. COLBY
ADELBERT H. CROSS**Tax Collector**

G. EVERETT SCRIBNER

Constables

LLOYD H. STONE CHESTER O. BOWERS

Auditors

ARTHUR C. STEBBINS WALTER G. GOODHUE

Cemetery Trustees

BERT C. TILTON FRANK E. COLBY
CLIFTON E. SHEPARD

SCHOOL OFFICERS

Moderator
G. EVERETT SCRIBNER

Clerk
CHARLES H. DALTON

Treasurer
PAULINE P. GOODHUE

Truant Officer
ARTHUR C. STEBBINS

Auditors
CLARA B. COLBY LLOYD H. STONE

School Board
HELEN E. SCRIBNER RUTH STEBBINS
MABEL ANDERSON

WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

*To the inhabitants of the Town of Webster, in the County
of Merrimack, in said State, qualified to vote in Town
Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Webster, on Tuesday the twelfth day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations for the same.
3. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance of highways and bridges. (a) Town maintenance. (b) Oiling roads. (c) Plowing and sanding roads. (d) General expense highway department.
4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$798.00 to secure State Highway Construction of \$424.90 for Class V Construction.
5. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for public welfare. (a) Town poor. (b) Old Age Assistance.

6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for town library.
7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to pay serial note.
8. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for patriotic purposes. (a) Old Home Day. (b) Memorial Day.
9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 to cooperate with state in control of White Pine Blister Rust, using town labor.
10. To see if the town will vote to give the selectmen the right to borrow money in anticipation of 1940 taxes.
11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20.00 to cooperate with the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.
12. To see if the town will vote to elect one road agent for the ensuing year for summer and winter maintenance.
13. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 24th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty.

HARRY H. KIMBALL,
LESLIE E. FROST,
HOWARD E. DARLING,

Selectmen of Webster.

A true copy of warrant—Attest:

HARRY H. KIMBALL,
LESLIE E. FROST,
HOWARD E. DARLING,

Selectmen of Webster.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WEBSTER

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing year February 1, 1940 to January 31, 1941, Compared with Actual Revenues and Expenditures of the previous Year, February 1, 1939 to January 31, 1940.

Source of Revenue	Actual Revenue previous year 1939.	Estimated Rev- enue ensuing year 1940.	Increase.	Decrease.
From State:				
Interest and div. tax	\$4,854.02	\$4,800.00		\$54.02
Railroad tax	26.13	25.00		1.13
Savings Bank tax	263.27	265.00	1.73	
For Fighting Forest Fires	30.83	100.00	69.17	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
Interest received on Taxes and Deposits	197.91	190.00		7.91
Motor Veh. Permit Fees	349.66	300.00		49.66
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:				
(a) Poll Taxes	258.00	350.00		92.00
Cash on hand (Surplus)	3,015.56	5,055.99	1,043.43	
Total Revenues From All Sources Except Property Taxes	\$8,955.38	\$11,085.99	\$1,114.33	\$204.72
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes		11,159.66		
TOTAL REVENUES	\$8,955.38	\$22,245.65	\$1,114.33	\$204.72

Purpose of Expenditures	Actual expenditures previous year, 1939.	Estimated expenditures ensuing year, 1940	
			Increase.
			Decrease.

*Current Maintenance Expenses:***General Government:**

Town officers' salaries	\$1,071.16	\$1,200.00	\$128.84
Town officers' expenses	356.49	400.00	43.51
Election and Reg. Exp.	39.00	160.00	121.00
General Expenses	299.93	250.00	49.93
Exp. Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	32.00	35.00	3.00

**Protection of Persons
and Property:**

Police Department	37.00	50.00	13.00
Fire Department	101.19	300.00	198.81
Moth Ext.—Blister Rust		400.00	400.00

Health:

Vital Statistics	.20	5.00	4.80
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Highways and Bridges:

Town Maint. (summer)	2,751.97	2,800.00	48.03
Gen'l Exp. High. Dept.	487.07	100.00	387.07
Snow work	1,719.68	2,000.00	138.81
Sanding	419.13		
Oiling Town Roads	396.25	400.00	3.75

Libraries:

Libraries	125.00	125.00
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Public Welfare:

Town Poor	441.22	1,000.00	558.78
Old Age Assistance	26.50	400.00	373.50

Purpose of Expenditures	Actual expenditures previous year, 1939.	Estimated expenditures ensuing year, 1940	Increase.	Decrease.
Patriotic Purposes:				
Old Home Day	85.00	85.00		
Memorial Day	35.00	35.00		
Insurance	277.88	300.00	22.12	
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries	69.60	25.00		44.60
Interest:				
On Temporary Loans	53.61	50.00		.36
On Long Term Notes	210.00	175.00		35.00
<i>Outlay for New Construction and Perm. Improvement:</i>				
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Construction—T. R. A.		450.00		434.80
State Aid Construction—				
Town's Share	884.80			
Indebtedness:				
Payment on Prin. of Debt:				
Long Term Notes	1,000.00	1,000.00		
Payments to Other Gov. Div.:				
County Taxes	3,406.23	3,500.00	93.77	
Payments to Precincts—				
Boscawen Tax	.62	.65		.03
Payments to School Dist.	6,817.76	7,000.00	182.24	
TOTAL EXPEND.	\$21,144.29	\$22,245.65	\$2,195.15	\$1,093.85

INVENTORY OF TOWN

Lands and Buildings	\$298,497.00
Electric Plants	206,400.00
33 Horses	3,575.00
5 Oxen	410.00
175 Cows	9,290.00
23 Other Neat Stock	975.00
69 Sheep	303.00
979 Fowls	979.00
2 Portable Mills	850.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	15,096.00
2 Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	115.00
Stock in Trade	2,500.00
 Total Valuation	 \$538,990.00
Total Valuation exclusive of Soldiers' Ex- emptions and Exemption to Blind	\$532,020.00
 194 Polls at \$2.00	 \$388.00
Amount of taxes to be committed to coll., including poll taxes and national bank stock taxes	\$15,651.13
Average rate per cent of taxation for all purposes	\$2.87
Amount exempted to soldiers	\$6,620.00
Amount exempted to blind	\$350.00

**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND
TAXES ASSESSED**

1.	Town officers' salaries	\$1,000.00
2.	Town officers expenses	400.00
3.	Election and registration expenses	50.00
5.	Town hall	50.00
6.	Police department	30.00
7.	Fire department	200.00
9.	Health department	50.00
11.	State Aid construction	874.50
12.	Trunk Line construction—Ins. for town help	200.00
14.	Town maintenance	2,660.10
15.	General expenses	470.00
16.	Oiling town roads	400.00
18.	Plowing and sanding	1,500.00
20.	Road to Pond	150.00
26.	Libraries	125.00
27.	Old age assistance	300.00
28.	Town poor	750.00
29.	Memorial Day	35.00
30.	Old Home Day	85.00
34.	Interest	310.00
35.	Payment on Principal of Debt	1,000.00
37.	County Tax	3,406.23
38.	School Tax	6,991.00
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Total Town and School Appropriations		\$21,036.83
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Less Estimated Revenue and Credits:		
Interest and Dividend Tax		\$4,797.32
Railroad Tax		30.00

Savings Bank Tax	250.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	308.38
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	5,385.70
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	\$15,651.13
Net amount to be raised by taxation	\$15,651.13
Less Poll Taxes	388.00
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Amount to be raised by Property Taxes on which town tax rate is figured	\$15,263.13
Taxes to be Committed to Collector:	
Property Taxes	\$15,263.13
Poll Taxes	388.00
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Total Taxes to be Committed to Collector	\$15,651.13

HARRY H. KIMBALL,
LESLIE E. FROST,
HOWARD E. DARLING,
Selectmen of Webster.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS
AND EXPENDITURES

	Approp.	Expense	Unexpected Balance	Over-draft
Town officers' salaries	\$1000.00	\$1071.16		\$73.16
Town officers' exp.	400.00	356.49	43.51	
Election and reg.	50.00	39.00	11.00	
General expense	470.00	299.93	170.07	
Town Hall	50.00	32.00	18.00	
Police department	30.00	37.00		7.00
Fire department	200.00	101.19	98.81	
Health department	50.00		50.00	
State Aid Const.	874.50	884.80		10.30
Ins. for town help	200.00	277.88		77.88
Town maintenance	2660.10	2751.97		91.87
Oil town roads	400.00	396.25	3.75	
Plowing and sanding	1500.00	2138.81		638.81
Road to Lake	150.00	227.30		77.30
Libraries	125.00	125.00		
Ald Age assistance	300.00	26.50	273.50	
Town Poor	750.00	441.22	308.78	
Memorial Day	35.00	35.00		
Old Home Day	85.00	85.00		
Interest	310.00	263.61	36.39	
Paym't on prin. of debt	1000.00	1000.00		
County tax	3406.23	3406.23		
School tax	6991.00	6817.76	173.24	
	\$21036.83	\$20814.10	\$1187.05	\$974.32

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$1,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	100.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	900.00
Fire Department, Equipment	50.00
Highway Department—Tractor and Plows	1,000.00
Truck Plows	700.00
John Stone Lot	100.00
Jackman Wood Lot	25.00
Burbank Avenue Lot	25.00
Harry Hanson Property	350.00
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Total	\$4,250.00

TOWN OF WEBSTER, RECEIPTS AND PAY-

ASSETS

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$5,055.99
Due from State:	
Bounties	24.00
Due from County	49.69
1 share Merrimack Farmers' Exchange	25.00
Unredeemed Taxes:	
Levy of 1938	237.23
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1939	2,107.16
Total Assets	\$7,499.07
Grand Total	\$7,474.07
Net Debt—January 31, 1939	\$757.10
Surplus, January 31, 1940	\$369.07

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Total taxes com. to Coll. 1939	\$15,659.14
Less dis. and abatements, 1939	31.22
Less uncollected taxes, 1939	2,107.16

1. Property taxes, cur. year, act. coll. \$13,262.76

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MENTS FOR YEAR ENDING JAN. 31, 1940

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due New Cemetery committee	\$12.80
Bills outstanding	4.50
Due M. J. Walker, dog damage	15.00
Due to School Districts:	
(a) Dog licenses	56.70
(b) Balance of Appropriation	1,991.00
Long Term Notes Outstanding	5,000.00
Trust Funds:	
Elmer Watts fund in hands of treas.	50.00
Total Liabilities	\$7,130.00
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	369.07
Grand Total	\$7,499.07

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries	\$1,071.16
2. Town officers expenses	356.49
3. Election and registration exp.	39.00
4. General expenses	299.93
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	32.00

Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police dept. inc. care of tramps	37.00
7. Fire dept. inc. forest fires	101.19

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2.	Poll taxes cur. year, act. coll.	258.00
4.	Total of current year's collections	\$13,520.76
5.	Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected	3,477.39
6.	Tax sales redeemed	76.64
	Taxes bought by town	35.99
	Taxes paid by town	123.03
7.	For Highways and Bridges:	
	(a) For Flood damage	661.80
8.	Interest and dividend tax	4,854.02
10.	Railroad tax	26.13
11.	Savings bank tax	263.27
13.	Fighting forest fires	30.83
14.	Bounties	24.80

From County:

15.	For support of poor	1,071.89
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From Local Sources Except Taxes:

17.	Dog licenses	71.70
21.	Interest received on taxes	197.91
22.	Interest on taxes bought by town	1.93
23.	Interest on taxes paid by town	11.38
27.	Reg. of motor vehicles, 1938 permits	4.00
	Reg. of motor vehicles, 1939 permits	349.66
	Total Current Revenue Receipts	\$24,803.13

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

29.	Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$10,000.00
30.	Town of Northfield	247.93

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9.	Bounties	24.00
	Reappraising—salary	243.25
	Reappraising—expense	14.50
12.	Vital statistics	.20

Highways and Bridges:

15.	Oiling town roads	396.25
16.	Town Maintenance— (Summer—\$2,751.97) (Winter—\$2,138.81)—Total	4,890.78
18.	Gen'l exp. highway dept.	487.07

Libraries:

19.	Libraries	125.00
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Public Welfare:

	Town of Northfield	171.45
20.	Old age assistance	26.50
21.	Town poor	441.22
22.	County poor	1,065.39

Patriotic Purposes:

23.	Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day	35.00
24.	Old Home Day	85.00
	Insurance	277.88

Public Service Enterprises:

28.	Cemeteries, inc. hearse hire	69.60
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Unclassified:

29.	Damages and legal expenses	10.19
30.	Taxes bought by town	167.51
31.	Abatements	35.22

Total Current Maintenance Expenses \$10,502.78

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31.	S. P. Stevens, dynamite	2.00
33.	Harry Hanson, wood	18.75
34.	Russel Kubli, refund on relief	3.00
35.	Elmer D. Watts, trust fund	100.00
36.	Abatements—1938-39	35.22
	Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, dividend 35-36	1.50
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Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue		10,408.40
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Total Receipts From All Sources		\$35,211.53
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Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1939		3,015.56
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GRAND TOTAL		\$38,227.09

Interest:

32. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$53.61
33. Paid on long term notes	210.00
Total Interest Payments	263.61

Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:

36. Highways and Bridges—State Aid Construction	\$884.80
37. Road for lumber operations	227.30
43. New Cemetery	68.00
Total Outlay Payments	1,180.10

Indebtedness:

45. Payment on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$10,000.00
46. Payments on long term notes	1,000.00
Total Indebtedness Payments	11,000.00

Payments to Other Gov. Divisions:

52. Taxes paid to County	\$3,406.23
53. Payments to Precincts—Boscawen tax	.62
54. Payments to School Districts	6,811.99
Balance on 1938 dog tax	5.77
Total Payments to Other Gov. Div.	\$10,224.61

Total Payments for all Purposes	\$33,171.10
Cash on hand January 31, 1940	5,055.99

GRAND TOTAL	\$38,227.09
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COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Levy of 1939

Property taxes committed to coll.	\$15,269.14
Poll taxes committed to coll.	388.00
Poll taxes added to list	2.00
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	\$15,659.14
Balance uncollected, Jan. 31, 1940	2,107.16
	—————
	\$13,551.98
Property taxes actually collected	\$13,262.76
Poll taxes actually collected	258.00
Abatements	31.22
	—————
	\$13,551.98
Interest collected	2.93
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Remittances to Treasurer	\$13,554.91

Levy of 1938

Balance uncollected, Jan. 31, 1939	\$3,632.27
Taxes actually collected	\$3,469.25
Taxes bought by town	35.99
Taxes paid by town	123.03
Abatements	4.00
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	\$3,632.27
Interest collected	193.91
Interest on taxes bought by town	1.93

Interest on taxes paid by town	11.38
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Remittances to Treasurer	\$3,839.49
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Levy of 1937

Balance uncollected, Jan. 31, 1939	\$6.14
Poll tax collected after abatement	2.00
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	\$8.14
Interest collected	1.07
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	\$9.21

Tax Sales Redeemed

Levy of 1936	\$42.18
Levy of 1937	10.80
Levy of 1938	12.23
Interest on redeemed taxes	11.43
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	\$76.64

ABATEMENTS

Levy of 1939:

Bagley, Mrs.	\$2.00
George, Olive, over 70	2.00
Hanson, Harry, prop. deeded to town	12.05
Hanson, Lucy	2.00
Palmer, Herman	2.00
Palmer, Mabel	2.00
Pope, Sara T., over-tax	7.17
Scribner, Helen A., over 70	2.00
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	\$31.22

Levy of 1938:

Bagley, Mrs.	\$2.00
George, Olive, over 70	2.00
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	\$4.00

Respectfully submitted,

G. EVERETT SCRIBNER,

Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash in Treasury February 1, 1939	\$3,015.56
Received from:—	
Adam E. Mock, Town Clerk:	
Bal. of 1938 Net Auto permits	4.00
1939 Net Auto permits	349.66
Bal. of 1938 Net Dog licenses	8.40
1939 Net Dog licenses on acc't	63.30
G. Everett Scribner, Tax Collector:	
1937 taxes	\$8.14
Interest on 1937 taxes	1.07
	9.21
1938 taxes	\$3,628.27
Interest on 1938 taxes	207.22
Abatements 1938 taxes	4.00
	3,839.49
1939 taxes	\$13,520.76
Interest on 1939 taxes	2.93
Abatements 1939 taxes	31.22
	13,554.91
Sale, 1936 Tax, redeemed	\$42.18
Interest	9.67
	51.85
Sale, 1937 Tax, redeemed	\$10.80
Interest	1.72
	12.52

Sale, 1938 Tax, redeemed	\$12.23
Interest	.04
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	12.27
State Treasurer:	
Bounties	24.80
Forest fire account	30.83
Reimbursement for town road:	
Flood work above 1/8 of 1% valuation	661.80
Railroad tax	26.13
Savings Bank tax	263.27
Interest and dividend tax	4,854.02
Merrimack County, support of poor off Farm	1,071.89
Town of Northfield, reimbursement for relief	247.93
Indian Head National Bank, loan, anticipa-	
tion of taxes	10,000.00
Elmer D. Watts, perpetual care fund	100.00
Harry C. Hanson, wood	18.75
Russell Kubli, refund on relief	3.00
Merrimack Farmers' Exch., div. 35-36	1.50
S. P. Stevens, dynamite	2.00
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	\$38,227.09
Paid on orders of Selectmen	33,171.10
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Cash in treasury	\$5,055.99

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN C. GERRISH,
Treasurer.

PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Harry H. Kimball, selectman's salary	\$265.91
Leslie E. Frost, selectman's salary	106.75
Howard E. Darling, selectman's salary	220.40
Leslie E. Frost, overseer's salary	39.60
William E. Phelps, selectman's salary	24.50
Edwin C. Gerrish, treasurer's salary	150.00
G. Everett Scribner, tax collector's salary	150.00
Adam E. Mock, town clerk's salary	100.00
Arthur C. Stebbins, auditor's salary	7.00
Walter G. Goodhue, auditor's salary	7.00
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	\$1,071.16

Town Officers' Expenses

Harry H. Kimball, selectman's expense	\$88.27
Leslie E. Frost, selectman's expense	17.73
Howard E. Darling, selectman's expense	50.80
William E. Phelps, selectman's expense	3.60
Edwin C. Gerrish, treasurer's expense	9.05
Adam E. Mock, town clerk's expense	3.50
G. Everett Scribner, tax collector's expense	15.73
G. Everett Scribner, selectmen's exp., letter heads	2.50
Bert C. Tilton, trustee's expense	6.04
Arthur C. Stebbins, auditor's expense	3.53
Sherburne & Parker, trustees' bond	20.00
A. C. Huntoon, treas., and tax coll., bond	50.00
Katherine Crowley, record of transfers	5.88
Ralph E. Sherburne, stamps	6.39
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	30.28
Eleanor Frost, copying books	11.50

Vira Holmes, list of deceased persons	.30
Leslie E. Frost, overseer's expense	31.39
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	356.49

Election and Registration

William E. Phelps	\$3.50
Harry H. Kimball	3.50
Leslie E. Frost	3.50
Arthur C. Stebbins, moderator	3.50
Avis Hancock, supervisor	10.00
Ethel Howard, supervisor	5.00
Sarah Allen, supervisor	10.00
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	\$39.00

General Expense

W. B. Ranney Co., printing reports	\$148.10
Edwin C. Gerrish, insurance on Hanson property	3.00
G. Everett Scribner, deed to Hanson property	2.05
Merrimack County Mutual Ins. Co.	1.50
O. M. Cummings, supplies	8.00
Bert C. Tilton, labor on cemetery	100.00
Katherine Crowley, recording deed	1.28
Adam E. Mock, services and expenses on bridge	25.00
Adam E. Mock, services and expenses on bill for for loss of taxes	10.00
Adam E. Mock, refund 1938 M. V. P.	1.00
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	\$299.93

Town Hall

A. H. Cross, janitor	\$20.00
Concord Electric Co., electricity	12.00
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	\$32.00

Police Department and Care of Tramps

Grace Fairbanks, keeping tramps	\$6.50
Marion Holmes, keeping tramps	10.50
L. H. Stone, police duty	20.00
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	\$37.00

Fire Department

William E. Phelps, Mignault fire	\$ 8.10
William E. Phelps, fire near Concord line	35.06
William E. Phelps, fire near Concord line	18.48
John J. Shugrue, truck fire	6.75
Chester Bowers, truck fire	1.60
John H. Foster, fire tools	31.20
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	\$101.19

Bounties

Harry H. Kimball	\$12.80
Leslie E. Frost	4.00
Howard E. Darling	7.20
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	\$24.00

Reappraising Salary

Harry H. Kimball	\$111.50
Leslie E. Frost	106.75
Howard E. Darling	21.00
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	\$243.25

Reappraising Expense

Harry H. Kimball, expense	\$14.02
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Howard E. Darling expense	.48
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	\$14.50

Vital Statistics

Carroll W. Stafford, list of deceased persons	\$.10
Esther G. Bennett, list of deceased persons	.10
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	\$.20

Road Agents

Paul Mock, District No. 1	\$950.67
Daniel L. Holmes, District No. 2	878.27
John H. Allen, District No. 3	923.03
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	\$2,751.97

Oiling Town Roads

Paul P. Mock, truck	\$44.80
Harry Kimball, labor and expense	17.20
S. P. Stevens, labor	6.45
Nelson Darling, labor	6.40
Nathan Mock, truck	12.00
G. M. Snyder, truck	19.20
Alton C. Kimball, truck	19.20
Julius Grover, labor	6.40
Popkin Melkonian, labor	3.60
Huriie Melkonian, labor	6.80
Clifton Shepard, labor	10.00
Duncan Shepard, labor	10.00
Luther Fairbanks, labor	10.00
Mike O'Connell, labor	10.00
Elmer Grover, labor	3.60
David West, labor	3.60
Adam E. Mock, labor	3.60

George Roberts, labor	3.60
Russell Kulbi, labor	3.60
E. H. Hardy, labor	1.60
Independent Coal Tar Co., oil	114.79
State of New Hampshire, oil	77.81
Fred Courser, sand	2.00

	\$396.25

Sanding

Paul Mock, truck	\$ 3.60
Alfred Kimball, labor	11.20
Raymond Kimball, labor	27.20
Sherman P. Stevens, labor	12.40
Louis Scribner, labor	20.00
John Allen, truck	49.90
Mike O'Connell, labor	4.00
Leslie E. Frost, truck	16.80
Clifford Blodgett, labor	1.60
Elzard Towle, labor	1.60
Harry Kimball, time and expense	4.50
G. M. Snyder, truck	9.60
Alton Kimball, truck	116.00
Elmore Hanks, labor	.80
Boston & Maine R. R., fgt. on sander	5.23
Howard E. Darling truck	1.00
Kenneth Hoar, truck	52.40
Frank E. Colby, labor	4.80
J. W. Tinker, labor	4.80
Bert Holmes, sand	2.10
Ernest Frost, labor	2.40
Lawrence Silver, labor	2.40
Howard Hunt, labor	2.40
Elmer Grover, labor	6.40
Henry Grover, labor	2.40
Adam E. Mock, sand	8.85

Fred Courser, sand	.75
William E. Phelps, truck	1.00
Galion Iron Works Mfg. Co., payment on sander	50.00
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	\$419.13

Snow Work

Paul Mock, plowing snow	\$294.02
Raymond Kimball, labor on plow	5.60
Chester Bowers, labor on plow	83.40
Leslie E. Frost, gasoline and labor	18.90
P. I. Perkins, parts for tractor	60.34
Arthur C. Stebbins, gasoline	56.05
G. Everett Scribner, labor on plow	44.10
Harry H. Kimball, labor on snow fences	8.60
Kenneth Hoar, labor on snow fences	4.80
O. M. Cummings, rent for tractor house	100.00
Herbert Kimball, labor on snow fences	5.80
Nathan Mock, plowing snow and labor on tractor	213.85
William E. Phelps, snow work	53.38
Michael Katchulas, snow work	7.20
Sanel Auto Co., welding snow plow	2.50
Walter Goodhue, snow work	4.40
Myron Colby, labor on snow plow	93.30
Atkinson Garage, repairs to plow	23.60
Thompson & Hoague, supplies	6.89
Concord Foundry, shoes for tractor plow	12.00
Concord Welding Co., repairs	4.00
R. C. Hazelton Co., truck snow plow and parts	607.75
A. W. Frost, insurance for tractor	9.20
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	\$1,719.68

General Expense Highway

State Highway Garage, machine blade	\$ 3.68
State Highway Garage, culverts	411.28

Sawyer Coal Co., cement	8.25
Horace Martin, dynamite	25.80
Earl Sanborn, plank	5.76
Concord Lumber Co., plank	16.80
R. H. Price, plank	12.50
Claude Hancock, use of water one year	3.00
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	\$487.07

Library

A. H. Cross, appropriation	\$125.00
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Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire, town share	\$26.50
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Town Poor

O. M. Cummings, groceries	\$280.00
Edward Putnam, M. D., medical services	24.00
Leslie E. Frost, transportation	3.00
E. L. Davis, coal	8.25
A. C. Stebbins, groceries	5.20
Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., groceries	64.00
Doris Tucker, housekeeper	19.00
Harry Rich, butchering	3.00
J. J. Newberry Co., clothing	7.75
J. C. Penney Co., clothing	12.02
Mary Harriman, housekeeper	15.00
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	\$441.22

County Poor

O. M. Cummings, groceries	\$672.40
L. E. Frost, milk and transportation	46.20
Fowler Drug Co., medicine	57.56
A. A. Beaton, M. D., medical services	45.00

William A. Young, D. D., dental services	8.50
C. P. Ballard, M. D., medical services	7.00
J. C. Penney Co., clothing	28.76
Edward Putnam, M. D., medical services	40.00
Charles George Store, clothing	4.25
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, roofing	7.00
Charles Allen, plowing garden	6.00
A. H. Britton Co., stove repairs	4.85
Harry Hanson, allowance	59.00
Penacook Shoe Store, shoes	17.95
Avis L. Hancock, laundry	11.25
Dexter Optical Co., glasses	20.47
W. J. Kennerson, transportation	3.00
Harry G. Emmons, clothing	13.00
Grace Fairbanks, milk	13.20
	\$1,065.39

Town of Northfield

O. M. Cummings, groceries	\$75.00
E. C. Gerrish, rent and wood	60.25
H. B. Eaton, milk	36.20
	\$171.45

Memorial Day

Frances French, appropriation	\$35.00
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Insurance

Walter P. Miner, insurance for town help	\$134.32
Kearsarge Ins. Agency, insurance for town help	5.32
Kearsarge Ins. Agency, insurance for town help	138.24
	\$277.88

Old Home Day

E. C. Gerrish, appropriation	\$85.00
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Cemeteries

Bert C. Tilton, digging grave	\$10.00
Bert C. Tilton (Elmer Watts Fund)	50.00
Duncan Shepard, shoveling snow	3.20
E. H. Hardy, shoveling snow	3.20
Clifton Shepard, shoveling snow	3.20
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	\$69.60

State Aid Construction

State of New Hampshire, appropriation	\$884.80
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Road Built To Lake

Popkin Melkonian, truck	\$ 41.00
Paul Mock, payroll	115.80
Horace Martin, supplies	13.00
Walter Goodhue, labor	21.00
Ben P. Little, labor	36.50
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	\$227.30

Damage and Legal Expenses

S. A. Dupits, damage to auto	\$7.50
Alfred Kimball, damage to auto	2.60
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	\$10.19

Taxes Bought By Town

G. Everett Scribner	\$ 44.48
G. Everett Scribner	123.03
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	\$167.51

Abatements

G. Everett Scribner	\$35.22
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Interest

Bert C. Tilton, int. on long term notes	\$210.00
Indian Head National Bank	53.61
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	\$263.61

New Cemetery

J. N. Tinker, labor	\$37.60
B. C. Tilton, labor	30.40
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	\$68.00

Temporary Loans

Indian Head National Bank	\$10,000.00
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Long Term Notes

Bert C. Tilton, Trustee, payment on serial note	\$1,000.00
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County of Merrimack

John L. T. Shaw, county tax	\$3,406.23
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Town of Boscawen

Frank L. Reardon, Boscawen tax	\$.62
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School District

Pauline P. Goodhue, school appropriation	\$6,817.76
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AUDITORS' REPORT

We have this day examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Road Agents, and Trustees of Trust Funds and found them correctly cast and properly vouched.

February 17, 1940.

WALTER G. GOODHUE,
ARTHUR C. STEBBINS,
Auditors.

OLD HOME DAY

RECEIPTS

Received :—

Balance from 1938	\$ 5.25
Appropriation—1939	85.00
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	\$90.25

EXPENSES

Robert Austin, prizes	\$ 3.00
Moulton's Band	55.00
Bessie M. Little and Ethel M. Colby, postage, etc.	.61
O. M. Cummings, sugar and fruit	1.18
Towne & Robie, post. and printing	20.22
A. C. Stebbins, lemons, cups, etc.	7.33
Henry H. Austin, partial payment for Sunday preacher	2.91
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	\$90.25

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

DISTRICT No. 1—PAUL P. Mock, *Agent.*

Week Ending April 14, 1939

Paul Mock, team on road machine, 26 hrs.	\$20.28
Paul Mock, holding road machine, 26 hrs.	10.40
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	\$30.68

For Week Ending April 21

Paul Mock, team and driver on road mach. 23 hrs.	\$17.94
Paul Mock, truck and driver, hauling gravel, 21 hrs.	25.20
A. Kimball, shoveling, 16 hrs.	6.40
Alton Kimball, shoveling 33 hrs.	13.20
Alfred Kimball, shoveling 32 hrs.	12.80
Lewis Scribner, shoveling 29 hrs.	11.60
G. M. Snyder, truck, hauling gravel, 24 hrs.	28.80
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	\$115.94

For Week Ending April 27

Paul Mock, truck and driver, hauling gravel, 26 hrs.	\$31.20
Alfred Kimball, shoveling 18 hrs.	7.20
Louis Scribner, shoveling 26 hrs.	10.40
G. M. Snyder, truck, 8 hrs.	9.60
Fred Courser, gravel, 42 yds. at 10c	4.20
E. Little, gravel, 62 yds. at 10c	6.20
Fred Drowns, gravel, 37 yds. at 10c	3.70
Paul Mock, team, 4 hours	3.12
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	\$75.62

For Week Ending May 1

Paul Mock, team on road machine, 9 hrs.	\$7.00
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Alfred Kimball, shoveling 9 hrs.	3.60
Louis Scribner, shoveling 9 hrs.	3.60
G. M. Snyder, truck, 9 hrs.	10.80
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	\$25.00

For Week Ending May 20

G. M. Snyder, truck, hauling gravel, 16 hrs.	\$19.20
M. O'Connell, shoveling 8 hrs.	3.20
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	\$22.40

For Week Ending May 27

Paul Mock, team on road machine, 21 hrs.	\$16.38
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For Week Ending July 1

Paul Mock, truck, 9 hrs.	\$10.80
M. O'Connell, labor, 8 hrs.	3.20
A. Kimball, labor on Pond Hill road, 2½ hrs.	1.00
John Allen, bridge planks	2.25
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	\$17.25

Week Ending July 8

Paul Mock, truck, labor and car	\$29.00
M. O'Connell, labor, 19 hrs.	7.60
H. Martin, dynamite and caps	2.35
E. Gerrish, use of shop	2.00
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	\$40.95

Week Ending July 15

Paul Mock, truck, 22½ hrs.	\$27.00
E. Towle, shoveling and cutting bushes 36 hrs.	14.40

A. Kimball, shoveling and cutting bushes 13 hrs.	5.20
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	\$46.60

Week Ending July 22

Paul Mock, truck, pulling stone, 16 hrs.	\$19.20
E. Towle, moving stone, cutting bushes, 20 hrs.	8.00
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	\$27.20

Week Ending July 29

E. Towle, cutting bushes 9 hrs.	\$3.60
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Week Ending Aug. 5

Paul Mock, truck and running compressor 11 hrs.	\$13.20
Paul Mock, compressor, 6 hrs. at \$2.50	15.00
Alfred Kimball, cutting bushes 40 hrs.	16.00
E. Towle, cutting bushes 45 hrs.	18.00
Charles Cross, cutting bushes 9 hrs.	3.60
H. Martin, dynamite and caps	6.90
O. M. Cummings, spikes	.60
Paul Mock, auto to Warner	2.00
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	\$75.30

Week Ending Aug. 12

Paul Mock, truck on road machine, 23 hrs.	\$27.60
Paul Mock, holding road machine, 9 hrs.	3.60
Alfred Kimball, cutting bushes 54 hours	21.60
Elzard Towle, cutting bushes 45 hrs.	18.00
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	\$70.80

Week Ending Aug. 19

Paul Mock, truck, driver, hauling gravel 17 hrs.	\$20.40
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Paul Mock, shoveling 17 hrs.	6.80
Alfred Kimball, cutting bushes 54 hrs.	21.60
E. Towle, cutting bushes 54 hrs.	21.60
L. Scribner, cutting bushes 27 hrs.	10.80
Paul Mock, cutting bushes 22 hrs.	8.80
Paul Mock, tractor on road mach. 2 hrs.	2.50

	\$92.50

Week Ending Aug. 26

Paul Mock, tractor on road machine, 2 hrs.	\$2.50
John Allen, labor on road machine, 3 hrs.	1.20
Alfred Kimball, cutting bushes 27 hrs.	10.80
E. Towle, cutting bushes 27 hrs.	10.80
L. Scribner, cutting bushes 28 hrs.	11.20
W. Rauche, cutting bushes 20 hrs.	8.00
M. Casper, labor on road, 9 hrs.	3.60
Peter Grenier, cutting bushes	3.60

	\$51.70

Week Ending Sept. 2

Paul Mock, tractor on road machine, 24 hrs.	\$30.00
Nathan Mock, truck, hauling gravel, 36 hrs.	43.20
L. Scribner, shoveling 36 hrs.	14.40
W. Rauche, shoveling 33 hrs.	13.20
John Allen, holding road machine, 9 hrs.	3.60

	\$104.40

Week Ending Sept. 9

Paul Mock, cutting bushes 3 hrs.	\$1.20
L. Scribner, cutting bushes 3 hrs.	1.20
W. Rauche, cutting bushes 3 hrs.	1.20
E. Gerrish, 33 yds. gravel, at 10c	3.30

L. Stevens, 45 yrs. gravel, at 10c	4.50
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	\$11.40
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Week Ending Sept. 16

Paul Mock, tractor on road machine, 26 hrs.	\$32.50
Elmer Grover, holding road machine, 26 hrs.	10.40

	\$42.90
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Week Ending Sept. 23

Paul Mock, tractor on road mach. 5 hrs.	\$6.25
Sherman Stevens, holding road mach. 5 hrs.	2.00

	\$8.25
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Week Ending Oct. 14

Paul Mock, tractor & driver on road mach. 28 hrs.	\$35.00
Paul Mock, holding road machine, 4 hrs.	1.60
Frank Keaton, holding road machine, 24 hrs.	9.60
Jack Tinker, cutting bushes 24 hrs.	9.60
R. Roby, labor, 8 hrs.	3.20

	\$59.00
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Week Ending Oct. 21

Paul Mock, truck on road machine, 8 hrs.	\$9.60
Alton Kimball, holding road machine, 8 hrs.	3.20

	\$12.80
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Total Expended	\$950.67
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Respectfully submitted,

PAUL P. MOCK,

Road Agent.

DISTRICT No. 2—DANIEL L. HOLMES, *Agent*

From January 31, 1939 to January 31, 1940

Appropriation	\$886.70
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Paid as follows:—

April 15

D. L. Holmes and truck, 29 hrs.	\$34.80
Nelson Follansbee and team, 16 hrs.	12.48
E. Hanks, 24 hrs.	9.60
Elmore Hanks, 24 hrs.	9.60
Howard Hunt, 16 hrs.	6.40
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	\$72.88

April 22

D. L. Holmes and truck, carting 27 hrs. at \$1.20	\$32.40
N. Follansbee and team, carting 28 hrs.	21.84
E. G. Ames, 20 hrs.	8.00
J. M. George, 8 hrs.	3.20
E. Hanks, 21 hrs.	10.20
Howard Hunt, 28 hrs.	10.80
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	\$87.44

April 29

D. L. Holmes and truck, carting, 41 hrs.	\$49.20
K. F. Hoar and truck, carting, 25 hrs.	30.00
N. Follansbee and team, scraping, 45 hrs. at 78c	35.10
E. L. Ames, 38 hrs.	15.20
H. F. Hunt, 41 hrs.	16.40
E. Hanks, 41 hrs.	16.40
George Berwick, 5 hrs.	2.00
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	\$164.30

May 6

D. L. Holmes and truck, carting, 46 hrs. at \$1.20	\$55.20
K. F. Hoar and truck, carting, 36 hrs.	40.20
E. L. Ames, leveling, 46 hrs.	18.40
N. Follansbee, shoveling, 18 hrs.	7.20
Howard Hunt, 45 hrs.	18.00
E. Hanks, 36 hrs.	14.40
David West, 18 hrs.	7.20

	\$160.60

May 13

D. L. Holmes and truck, 22 hrs.	\$26.40
E. L. Ames, 22 hrs.	8.80
Howard Hunt, leveling, 18 hrs.	7.20
D. L. Holmes, 104 loads gravel, $1\frac{1}{2}$ yds. each at 15c	15.60
Repairing Bridge	1.50

	\$59.50

September 2

D. L. Holmes and truck, 13 hrs.	\$15.60
D. E. Towle, 9 hrs.	3.60
E. Hanks, 5 hrs.	2.00
H. F. Hunt, 5 hrs.	2.00
N. Follansbee, 21 hrs.	8.40
Howard Hunt, 32 hrs. from Aug. 17 to Sept. 2	32.80
D. L. Holmes, 16 yds gravel	1.60

	\$66.00

October 7

D. L. Holmes and truck, 32 hrs.	\$38.40
Verne Stevens, 32 hrs.	12.80
J. M. George, 30 hrs.	12.00

H. F. Hunt, 48 hrs.	19.20
D. L. Holmes, bolts for road machine	1.00
Howard Hunt, cutting bushes from Sept. 3 to Sept. 30, 104 hrs.	53.60
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	\$137.00

November 4

D. L. Holmes and truck, 24 hrs.	\$28.80
Verne Stevens, 19 hrs.	7.60
Nelson Follansbee, 5 hrs.	2.00
N. O. Bowers, 16 hrs.	6.40
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	\$44.80

December 1

D. L. Holmes and truck, 11 hrs.	\$13.20
Verne Stevens, 11 hrs.	4.40
Nelson Follansbee, 30 hrs. piling brush	12.00
D. L. Holmes, gravel, 20 yds.	2.00
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	\$31.60

December 16

Nelson Follansbee, burning brush 24hrs.	\$9.60
Verne Stevens, helper 8hrs.	3.20
N. Follansbee, 16 hrs.	6.40
D. L. Holmes, gravel, 193 loads $1\frac{1}{2}$ yds. .15 drawn from April 10 to Apr. 30	28.95
D. L. Holmes, attendance road convention, Franklin	3.00
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	\$51.15

Total expenditures	\$878.27
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Respectfully submitted

DANIEL L. HOLMES, *Agent.*

January 31, 1940

DIST. No. 3—JOHN H. ALLEN, *Agent*

Week Ending April 22

J. Allen, truck on drag & hauling gravel 28½ hrs.	\$34.20
Geo. Roberts, shoveling 15½ hrs.	6.20
P. Melkonian, shoveling 15½ hrs.	6.20
W. Bowers Jr., shoveling 8 hrs.	3.20
C. Blodgett, shoveling, 8 hrs.	3.20
J. Allen, team on drag, 8 hrs.	6.24
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	\$59.24

Week Ending April 29

J. Allen, truck on drag, 25 hrs.	30.00
J. Allen, team on drag, 3 hrs.	2.34
G. Roberts, work on culverts 8 hrs.	3.20
P. Melkonian, work on culverts 8 hrs.	3.20
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	\$38.74

Week Ending May 6

J. Allen, truck, 4 hrs.	\$4.80
C. Allen, shoveling 4 hrs.	1.60
Geo. Roberts, shoveling, 32 hrs.	12.80
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	\$19.20

Week Ending May 27

J. Allen, drag, 16 hrs.	\$29.20
P. Currier, digging ditch, 13 hrs.	5.20
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	\$34.40

Week Ending July 29

J. Tinker, cutting bushes, 29 hrs.	\$11.60
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Week Ending August 5

J. Tinker, cutting bushes, 40 hrs.	\$16.00
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Week Ending August 12

J. Tinker, cutting bushes, 46 hrs.	\$18.40
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Week Ending August 19

J. Tinker, cutting bushes, 48 hrs.	\$19.20
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Week Ending August 26

Paul Mock, work on Little Hill, 44 hrs.	\$55.00
Alfred Kimball, labor, 23½ hrs.	9.40
E. Towle, labor, 19 hrs.	7.60
J. Allen, labor, 44 hrs.	17.60
J. Tinker, labor, 38 hrs.	15.20
Geo. Roberts, labor, 9 hrs.	3.60
P. Melkonian, labor, 9 hrs.	3.60
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	\$112.00

Week Ending September 2

J. Tinker, cutting bushes, 40 hrs.	\$16.00
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Week Ending September 9

J. Tinker, cutting bushes, 42½ hrs.	\$17.00
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Week Ending September 16

J. Tinker, cutting bushes, 46 hrs.	\$18.40
R. Keller, cutting bushes 9½ hrs.	3.80
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	\$22.20

Week Ending September 23

F. Keaton, cutting bushes, 40 hrs.	\$16.00
J. Tinker, cutting bushes, 16 hrs.	6.40

R. Keller, cutting bushes, 30 hrs.	12.00
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	\$34.40

Week Ending September 30

R. Keller, cutting bushes, 26 hrs.	\$10.40
F. Keaton, cutting bushes, 36½ hrs.	14.60
J. Tinker, cutting bushes, 30 hrs.	12.00
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	\$37.00

Week Ending October 7

P. Mock, road machine, 39½ hrs.	\$49.38
F. Keaton, machine, 47½ hrs.	19.00
J. Tinker, cutting bushes, 38½ hrs.	15.40
R. Keller, cutting bushes, 14½ hrs.	5.80
J. Allen, hauling brush 4 hrs.	4.80
C. Allen, hauling brush, 4 hrs.	1.60
L. Stone, clearing road, 8 hrs.	3.20
E. H. Pearson, clearing road, 8 hrs.	3.20
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	\$102.38

Week Ending October 14

F. Keaton, setting posts, 24 hrs.	\$9.60
J. Tinker, setting posas, 24 hrs.	9.60
J. Allen, setting posts, 5 hrs.	2.00
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	\$21.20

Week Ending October 21

F. Keaton, setting posts, 16 hrs.	\$6.40
J. Tinker, setting posts, 16 hrs.	6.40
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	\$12.80

Week Ending November 4

F. Keaton, setting posts & clean. culverts, 24 hrs.	\$9.60
J. Tinker, cleaning culverts, 24 hrs.	9.60
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	\$19.20

Week Ending November 25

R. Champang, culverts and ditches, 37½ hrs.	\$15.00
J. Allen, culverts and ditches, 120 hrs.	57.00
J. Little, culverts and ditches, 47½ hrs	19.00
D. L. Holmes, gravel 4 yds.	.40
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	\$91.40

Week Ending December 1

J. Little, 8 hrs	\$3.20
J. Allen, 8 hrs	9.60
J. Allen, 140 ft. at .01½ ft.	2.10
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	\$14.90

Week Ending December 16

J. Little, burning brush, 12 hrs.	\$4.80
C. Allen, 8 hrs.	3.20
J. Allen, 12 hrs.	4.80
Oil	2.83
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	\$15.63

Week Ending December 23

Wm. E. Phelps, burning brush, 6 hrs.	\$2.40
Ray Blodgett, burning brush, 6 hrs.	2.40
Redlon Cope, 6 hrs.	2.40
Gallon kerosene	.14
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	\$7.37

Week Ending December 30

J. Allen, hauling gravel, 7 hrs.	\$8.40
W. Goodhue, shoveling, 7 hrs.	2.80

	\$11.20

Week Ending January 6, 1940

J. Allen, hauling gravel, 42 hrs.	\$50.40
W. Goodhue, shoveling, 42 hrs.	16.80
W. Kennerson, shoveling, 28 hrs.	11.20

	\$78.40

Week Ending January 13

J. Allen, hauling gravel, 42 hrs.	\$50.40
W. Goodhue, shoveling, 42 hrs.	16.80
F. Keaton, shoveling, 7 hrs.	2.80
F. Corser, gravel, 176 yds.	17.60
B. Little, gravel, 36 yds.	3.60
Mrs. V. D. Pearson, oak posts, 40 at 5c.	2.00

	\$93.20

Respectfully submitted

JOHN H. ALLEN *Agent.*

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

RECEIPTS

Amount on hand Jan 31, 1939	\$56.08
Interest on notes held by town	210.00
Interest on fund in N. H. Sav. Bank	2.70
Reimbürsement by town	100.00
 Total	 \$368.78

EXPENDITURES

B. C. Tilton, work O. M. H. cemetary	\$20.38
B. C. Tilton, work Riverdale cemetary	10.35
Kenneth Hoar, truck Riverdale cemetary	2.00
Kenneth Hoar, truck O. M. H. cemetary	1.60
F. E. Colby, work O. M. H. cemetary	12.38
F. E. Colby, work Riverdale cemetary	11.38
F. E. Colby, work B. D. cemetary	6.00
B. C. Tilton, work B. D. cemetary	6.00
First National Bank, box rent	2.20
B. C. Tilton, work O. M. H. cemetary	5.00
B. C. Tilton, work O. M. H. cemetary	9.98
F. E. Colby, wark O. M. H. cemetary	20.25
B. C. Tilton, work Riverdale cemetary	13.75
E. C. Shepard, work Riverdale cemetary	2.00
E. C. Shepard, work B. D. cemetary	2.00
B. C. Tilton, work O. M. H. cemetary	16.90
B. C. Tilton, work B. D. cemetary	6.00
B. C. Tilton, work O. M. H. cemetary	2.00
B. C. Tilton, work O. M. H. cemetary	5.00
Duncan Shepard, work O. M. H. cemetary	13.88
W. D. Stockbridge, work O. M. H. cemetary	3.00
W. D. Stockbridge, work Riverdale cemetary	7.50
W. D. Stockbridge, work B. D. cemetary	4.50

B. C. Tilton, work Riverdale cemetery	7.50
Duncan Shepard, work Riverdale cemetery	7.50
Duncan Shepard, work O. M. H. cemetery	4.50
F. E. Colby, work O. M. H. cemetery	7.88
F. E. Colby, work B. D. cemetery	7.50
F. E. Colby, work Riverdale cemetery	9.75
B. C. Tilton, work B. D. cemetery	4.50
B. C. Tilton, work O. M. H. cemetery	16.37
E. C. Shepard, work O. M. H. cemetery	2.00
First National Bank, service charges	4.00
	\$255.55

Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1940	\$113.23
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\$255.55 includes care of:

Fitz and Colby lots	Putney lot
Call lots	Balch lot
Jennie Elkins lot	Rice Courser lot
C. C. Coffin fund	

BERT C. TILTON,
FRANK E. COLBY,

Trustees of Trust Funds,

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF WEBSTER, N. H., JAN. 31, 1940

Unexpended Income in Savings Banks \$84.43

FOREST FIRE WORK

To the Citizens of Webster, with your cooperation:

If our local forest fire organization will be able to continue its splendid record during the coming year, our town will be spared costly fire losses and suppression expenditures.

We were fortunate last year because you were careful, complied so willingly with forest fire regulations and consulted with our local warden before undertaking any burning on your property.

This cooperative spirit is more essential this year because, as you well know, conditions in the blowdown sections will be much more critical than last year. Material will be more highly inflammable and fire occurring in these areas will be more difficult to control.

For everyone's guidance the following suggestions are made:

1. DON'T burn brush or other debris in or near woodlands, or where fire may be communicated to such land, *once the snow has left the ground*, without first securing written permission from the forest fire warden.

Violation of this requirement makes the responsible party liable to—

- a. A fine not to exceed \$500.00 or imprisonment of not more than one year or both.
- b. The town for expenses incurred by the warden in attending or extinguishing such fire.
- c. Damage to abutting owners if fire runs upon abutters' property.

2. DON'T drop or throw from any vehicle while same is upon a public highway or private way and

DON'T drop, throw or otherwise deposit on or near woodlands any lighted match, cigar, cigarette, live ashes or any other substitute liable to cause a fire.

Violation of these prohibitions penalizes whoever is found guilty with a fine of not more than \$25.00.

3 DON'T fail to promptly notify your local warden of any fires you see.

Because some New Hampshire citizens refused or failed to comply with necessary regulations in 1939, they were obliged to pay the costs of fire suppression and in some instances appear in court.

A little team work will be most beneficial to all of us and save you and your town much trouble and expense. Good citizenship dictates it. Good judgment demands it.

THOMAS J. KING,
District Fire Chief.

WEBSTER FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Financial Report of Library Trustees

RECEIPTS

Balance from last year	\$.76
Received from town	125.00
Total Receipts	\$125.76

EXPENDITURES

Books—Warmwrath Co.	\$24.03
Books—New England News Co.	41.62
Librarian's salary	50.00
Insurance—Sherburne & Parker	10.00
	\$125.65
Balance on hand	\$.11

BESSIE M. LITTLE,
ETHEL H. COLBY,
ADELBERT H. CROSS,

Trustees.

SUPPLEMENT TO LIBRARY CATALOG

- 2891 Canfield—Seasoned Timber.
2892 Evers—Frankie.
2893 Hayes—Little House on Runners.
2894 Pogany—Golden Cockerel.
2895 Waln—Reaching for the Stars.
2896 Loomis, Alfred—Hotspur's Cruise in the Aegean.
2897 Churchill, Winston—Richard Carvel.
2898 Lancaster, Bruce—Guns of Burgoyne.
2899 Montague, Joseph—The Isle of Drums.
2900 Dunning, Hal—The Wolfe Deputy.
2901 Cook, Wm. Wallace—Around the World in Eighty Days.
2902 Halliburton, Richard—New Worlds to Conquer.
2903 Coffin, Robt. B. Tristam—Kennebec.
2904 Field, Rachel—All this and Heaven too.
2905 Kinsburn, Emart—Squatters at Dabchick Lake.
2906 Wolff, Katherine—Tall Man Walking.
2907 Wilson, Cherry—Stormy.
2908 Macdonald, Wm. Colt—Gun Country.
2909 Barrington, G. W.—Blondy of the Double Star.
2910 Barnes, Chas. E.—Sagebush Knights.
2911 Montague, Joseph—Strange Timber.
2912 Roberts, James—Unwelcome Settlers.
2913 Rath, Virginia—The Anger of the Bells.
2914 Kendrick, Barnard—The Last Express.
2915 Morley, Christopher—I Know a Secret.
2916 Wilson, Henry W.—The Civil War Through the Camera.
2917 Wilson, Henry W.—Europe at War.
2918 Wilson, Henry W.—The Floating Admiral.
2919 Hare, Martin—The Enchanted Winter.
2920 Hull, Helen—Hardy Perennial.
2921 Babson, Roger W.—The Sea Made Man.
2922 Fay, Bernard—George Washington.
2923 Keeler, Harry S.—Finger Finger.
2924 Ginther, Pemberton—Miss Pat at School.
2925 Lenske, Lois—Ocean-Born Mary.
2926 Wood, Clement—Tom Sawyer Grows Up.
2927 Babcock, Bernie—Little Abe Lincoln.
2928 Wallace, Lew—Ben Hur.
2929 Burrough, R. J.—From Snow to Sun.

- 2930 Petersham, Maud & Miska—Moses.
2931 Petersham, Maud & Miska—Joseph and His Brothers.
2932 Petersham, Maud & Miska—Ruth.
2933 Petersham, Maud & Miska—David.
2934 Bailey, Bernadine—Little Greta of Denmark.
2935 Disney, Walt—The Adventures of Mickey Mouse.
2936 Baum, L. Frank—Jack Pumkinhead.
2937 Baum, L. Frank—Animals I Like.
2938 Bailey, Carolyn S.—..... Hannibal.
2939 Tousey, Sanford—Daniel Boone.
2940 Bean, Lorraine & Gerrold—The Burro that had a Name.
2941 Fabell, Walter—Nature was First.
2942 Tornquist, Faye—Billows of Quacks.
2943 Baum, L. Frank—The Wizard of Oz.
2944 Esler, L. A.—The Presidents of the United States.
2945 Beach, Rex—Valley of Thunder.
2946 Willoughby, Barrett—Sondra O'Moore.
2947 Loring, Emilee—Across the Years.
2948 Willoughby, Barrett—River House.
2949 Norris, Kathleen—Lost Sunrise.
2950 Lincoln, Joseph—Christmas Days.
2951 Frost, Frederick—Spy Meets Spy.
2952 Montgomery, L. M.—Jane of Lantern Hill.
2953 Hill, Grace L.—Mystery Flowers.
2954 Hauck, Louise Platt—Truce with Life.
2955 Dell, Ethel M.—Where Three Roads Meet.
2956 Hilton, James—Good-bye Mr. Chips.
2957 Baldwin, Faith—The Heart has Wings.
2958 Baldwin, Faith—Men Are Such Fools.
2959 Steinbeck, John—Of Mice and Men.
2960 Hall, Nordhoffan—The Hurricane.
2961 Loring, Emilee—With Banners.
2962 Laurence, Josephine—The Sound of Running Feet.
2963 Coatsworth, Elizabeth—Dancing Tom.
2964 Bower, B. M.—Shadow Mountain.
2965 Burroughs, Edgar Rice—Tarzan's Quest.
2966 Hawthorne, Hildegarde—A Happy Autocrat.
2967 Larrimore, Lida—Two Keys to a Cabin.
2968 Montgomery, L. M.—Anne of Windy Poplars.
2969 Bruce, George—Navy Blue and Gold.
2970 Loring, Emile—As Long as I Live.
2971 Abbott, Jane—Benefit Street.

- 2972 Brand, Max—The Rancher's Revenge.
2973 Marshall, Edison—Sam Campbell Gentlemen.
2974 Gill, Tom—Firebrand.
2975 Coolidge, Dane—Rawhide Johnny.
2976 Rain, Wm. MacLeod—Bucky Follows the Trail.
2977 White & Kendall—The Northern Trail's Omnibus
2978 Moore, Amos—Gun Smoke at Clarion.
2979 Strong, Phil—Buckskin Breeches.
2980 Jennings, John—Next to Valour.
2981 Bailey, Temple—Tomorrow's Promise.
2982 Beaty, John—Trees.
2983 Bowles, Ella Shannon—Children of the Border.
2984 Benz, Francis E.—Pasteur.
2985 Hill, Grace L.—Maris.
2986 Berger—Copy Boy.
2987 Blackmore—Lorna Doone.
2988 Cochrane—Baseball.
2989 Dalglish—Young Aunts.
2990 Enright—Thimble Summer.
2991 Heyward—Country Bunny.
2992 Lindbergh—Listen! the Wind.
2993 Meadowcroft—Aren't we Lucky.
2994 Page—Tree of Liberty.
2995 Partridge—Country Lawyer.
2996 Shute—Ordeal.
2997 Steinbeck—Grapes of Wrath.
2998 Stevenson—Treasure Island.
2999 Streatfield—Circus Shoes.
3000 White—Mouseknees.
3001 VanderVeer—Herbs for Urbans.
3002 Freeman, Katherine, Ruth and Harrop Chips and Little Chip.
3003 O. Henry—Complete Works of O. Henry.
3004 Rockwell, Kent—Shakespeare.
3005 Encyclopedia, New Concise Pictorial.
3006 Bassett, Sara Ware—
3007 Brand, Max—Singing Guns.
3008 Coolidge, Dane—Snake Bit Jones.
3009 Mason, F. Van Wyck—Three Harbours.
3010 Walling, R. A. G.—The Walling Omnibus.
3011 Halliburton, Richard—Seven League Boots.
3012 Oppenheim, E. Philip—Secret Service Omnibus.

- 3013 Lincoln, Joseph C.—Cape Cod Yesterdays.
- 3014 Webb, Barbara—Love's Choice.
- 3015 Chalmers, Stephen—The Whispering Ghost.
- 3016 Holt, Henry—The Sinister Shadow.
- 3017 Young, Gordon—The Vengeance of Hurricane Williams.
- 3018 Poe, Vingree—Black Belle Rides the Uplands.
- 3019 Farnol, Jeffrey—Winds of Chance.
- 3020 Morrow, Honroe—Of Human Hearts.
- 3021 Mowery, William Byron—The Black Automatic.

WARRANT FOR THE SCHOOL MEETING

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Webster, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said district on the 12th day of March, 1939, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alterations in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment

of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Webster, this 22nd day of February, 1940.

HELEN E. SCRIBNER,
RUTH A. STEBBINS,
MABEL M. ANDERSON,

School Board.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Webster District:

During the year 1938-39 the teachers employed in the district were as follows:

Putney Hill—Mr. William S. Herbert, C. N. S. '34

Corser Hill—Miss Ruth S. Colby, P. N. S. '33

Mrs. Doris S. Buswell was music supervisor.

REGISTER SUMMARIES

	Putney Hill	Corser Hill	Total	Total 1937-38
Half days in session	354	360	357	720
Half days lost	6	0	6	0
No. pupils registered	25	26	51	53
Average membership	22.20	25.54	47.76	44.32
Per cent of attendance	92.93	93.00	93.23	94.69
No. tardinesses	12	18	30	125
Av. tardiness per pupil	.55	.71	.63	1.8
No. visits School Board	8	9	17	18
No. visits Superintendent	18	18	36	51
No. visits Citizens	114	86	114	215

GRADUATES—JUNE, 1939

Raymond Davis	Erma Colby
Ida Foote	Harold Frost
Laurence Palmer	Myrtle Roberts

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

FOR ONE YEAR

Donald Towle	Arthur Little
Phyllis Hoar	Erma Colby
Claudette Hancock	

FOR THREE NINE-WEEK PERIODS

Raymond Davis

FOR TWO NINE-WEEK PERIODS

Helen Hanson	Adrian Shepard
Helen Tinker	George Little
Stanley Silver	Myrtle Roberts
George Anderson	

On account of the September hurricane and later illness among pupils, three days of school were not made up at Putney Hill school. This makes the average for the district 357 half-days. There has been little change in the average membership and percent of attendance. The number of cases of tardiness has sharply diminished. This is very commendable and we hope that the present year may show an equally good record. The number of pupils registered in the district was 51. There were 15 high school pupils registered in other districts. The number of pupils residing in the district and attending public schools was therefore 66.

The old chemical toilet at Corser Hill should be replaced by one of the septic type similar to the one already installed there. Provision for this should be made in the budget to be presented at the district meeting in March. The new toilets at Putney Hill are much better than the old chemical toilets.

We wish to thank parents, teachers, and the school board for their support and cooperation in advancing the interests of the schools this year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. SINCLAIR,

Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

All pupils received annual inspection and notices were sent to parents regarding defects. Through cooperation of the School Board we were able to have Dr. Edward Putnam inspect all the children. That a physician should periodically examine the children is highly recommended by the New Hampshire State Board of Education as a safeguard for our children.

May I thank the School Board, teachers and superintendent for their assistance in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

CECILE L. CARROLL, R. N.

School Nurse.

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE 1940-1941

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory requirements of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1940.

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

	Estimate for 1940-41	Budget for 1939-40 for comparison
Support of Schools:		
Teachers' salaries	\$1,950.00	\$1,950.00
Text books	75.00	75.00
Scholars' supplies	75.00	75.00
Flags	5.00	5.00
Other expenses of instruction	15.00	15.00
Janitor	100.00	100.00
Fuel	100.00	100.00
Water, light, janitors' supplies	50.00	55.00
Minor repairs and expenses	400.00	400.00
Health supervision	75.00	75.00
Transportation of pupils—		
Elementary	1,200.00	1,360.00
High School (for pupils under 14)	150.00	220.00
Special activities (exp. of adm.)	50.00	40.00
	\$4,245.00	\$4,470.00

Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of Dist. officers	\$150.00	\$ 150.00
Truant officer and school census	15.00	15.00
High School tuition	1,700.00	1,700.00
Superintendent's salary	101.00	101.00
Per capita tax	132.00	100.00
Other obligations (insurance)	35.00	35.00
	\$2,133.00	\$2,101.00
Total amount required to meet School Board's Budget	\$6,378.00	\$6,571.00

Estimated Income of District

Balance June 30, 1940 (estimate)	\$1,000.00	None
Assessment required to balance		
School Board's. Budget	\$5,378.00	\$6,991.00

Special Appropriations proposed—

Deficit caused by insufficient approp.	298.00
High School tuition not expected when budget was made	162.00
Unexpected extra transportation	60.00

	\$520.00

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE WEBSTER SCHOOL
DISTRICT

For the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 1938
and ending June 30, 1939

RECEIPTS

State and Federal Aid:

Equalization fund for elementary schools (from State)	\$118.79
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Income from Local Taxation:

Assessment req. to meet School Board's March 1938 budget	6,000.00
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Total receipts from all sources	\$6,118.79
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1938	5.22

Grand total	\$6,124.01
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PAYMENTS

July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

Administration:

Salaries of District officers	\$150.00
Superintendent's excess salary	100.99
Truant officer and school census	15.00
Expenses of administration	59.24

	\$325.23
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Instruction:

Teachers' salaries	\$1,950.00
Text books	35.50
Scholars' supplies	54.21

Flags	1.50
Other expenses of instruction	7.39
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	\$2,048.60

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:

Janitor service	\$100.00
Fuel	50.40
Water, light and janitors' supplies	48.19
Minor repairs and expenses	278.59
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	\$477.18

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:

Medical inspection and health supervision	\$79.08
Transportation of pupils	1,660.50
High School tuition	831.25
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	\$2,570.82

Fixed Charges:

Per capita tax	\$137.00
Insurance and other fixed charges	31.29
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	\$168.29

Other Charges:

Payment of bill from previous year	.35
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Total payments for all purposes	\$5,590.47
Total cash on hand at end of year June 30, 1939	
	533.54
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Grand Total	\$6,124.01

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

June 30, 1939

Cash on hand:	
Balance June 30, 1939	\$533.54
Accounts due to District:	
From Town	388.13
Total Assets	\$921.67

LIABILITIES

June 30, 1939

Accounts owned by Dist. (unpaid bills) :	
Estimated tuition to Penacook	\$45.00
Estimated cost of wood	4.00
Total Liabilities	\$49.00
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	\$872.67
Grand Total	\$921.67

AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Webster, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CLARA B. COLBY,
L. H. STONE,

Auditors.

July 5, 1939.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1939

SUMMARY

Cash on hand June 30, 1938—	
(Treasurer's bank balance)	\$ 5.22
Received from Selectmen—	
Appropriations for current year	6,000.00
Received from State Treas., State Aid	118.79
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Total amount available for fiscal year—	
(balance and receipts)	\$6,124.01
Less School Board orders paid	5,590.47
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1939—	
(Treasurer's bank balance)	\$533.54

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Webster, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939 and find correct in all respects.

CLARA B. COLBY,
L. H. STONE,

Auditors.

July 5, 1939.

PAYMENTS IN DETAIL

1. Salaries of District Officers

G. E. Scribner, moderator	\$2.50
Emerson G. Hoar, clerk	2.50
Clara B. Colby, auditor	2.00
Lloyd H. Stone, auditor	2.00
Pauline P. Goodhue, treasurer	23.50
Bessie M. Little, salary as chairman of board	47.00
Helen E. Scribner, salary as a board member	35.25
Ruth A. Stebbins, salary as a board member	35.25
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	\$150.00

2. Superintendent's Salary

Elmer J. Bartlett, treas. of supervisory union	\$100.99
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3. Truant Officer and School Census

Arthur C. Stebbins	\$15.00
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4. Expenses of Administration

Edson C. Eastman Co., general fund record book and school warrants	\$8.44
Elmer J. Bartlett, supt's clerk's salary	36.00
John A. Sinclair, telephone, office supplies, etc.	4.35
Pauline P. Goodhue, postage and envelopes	6.20
Helen E. Scribner, mileage and telephone	2.25
Mabel M. Anderson, mileage	2.00
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	\$59.24

5. Teachers' Salaries

William S. Herbert, Putney Hill	\$900.00
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Ruth S. Colby, Corser Hill	900.00
Doris Buswell, music teacher	150.00
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	\$1,950.00

6. Text Books

Arlo Publishing Co.	\$6.70
American Book Co.	7.33
Milton Bradley Co.	3.80
Ginn & Co.	2.35
MacMillian Co.	3.81
Scott Foresman & Co.	2.15
Allyn & Co.	7.77
Webster Publishing Co.	.60
Iroquois Publishing Co.	.99
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	\$35.50

7. Scholars' Supplies

The Papercrafters, crayons	\$2.27
John S. Cheever, paper	2.89
Milton Bradley Co., water cooler and carbon paper	5.25
J. L. Hammett Co., class registers	.35
Henry S. Wolkins Co., supplies	29.79
Dowling School Supply Co., supplies	7.15
The Holmerdeen Co., supplies	2.50
Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies	2.54
Beckley Cardy Co., supplies	1.47
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	\$54.21

8. Flags and Appurtenances

Henry S. Wolkins Co., flag	\$1.50
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9. Other Expenses of Instruction

Ruth S. Colby, graduation supplies	\$1.70
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World Book Co., tests	5.69
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	\$7.39

10. Janitor Service

Noah Stebbins	\$50.00
William Herbert	50.00
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	\$100.00

11. Fuel

Howard E. Darling, wood	\$11.65
D. L. Holmes, slabs and wood	30.50
Michael O'Connell, labor on wood	5.25
Sherman P. Stevens, sawing wood	3.00
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	\$50.40

12. Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies

West Disinfecting Co., paper towels	\$8.05
Holmerden Co., drinking cups	14.40
Helen E. Scribner, janitor supplies	3.38
Noah Stebbins, janitor supplies	3.56
Concord Elec. Co., lights at Corser Hill	14.20
Proctor & Gamble Co., soap dispenser	2.00
Arthur C. Stebbins, water pail	1.10
G. E. Scribner, axe	1.50
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	\$48.19

13. Minor Repairs and Expenses

Ben P. Little, 2 chairs	\$.70
F. E. Colby, labor at Corser Hill	5.00
Milton Bradley Co., water cooler	3.75
E. L. Chase Est., stove for Putney Hill school	12.00

Edward Hartz, delivering stove	1.75
Noah Stebbins, making screen doors, express and trucking and repairing desks	13.75
Helen E. Scribner, cleaning Putney Hill school and curtains	7.84
Sherman P. Stevens, trucking	3.00
Edith Hoar, cleaning windows at Corser Hill school	2.00
George Berwick, painting, installing sink and re-pairing at Corser Hill school	75.71
William S. Herbert, express	.54
Bessie M. Little, sink for Corser Hill school	5.35
G. Everett Scribner, labor and material for roofing Sweatt's Mills school; paint for Corser Hill school and labor at Putney Hill school	128.60
Holmerden Co., dust-bane	2.50
J. L. Hammett & Co., repairs for chemical toilet	14.60
Michael O'Connell, labor at Putney Hill	1.50
	\$278.59

14. Medical Inspection

Cecile Carroll, nurse and supplies	\$77.08
Noah Stebbins, transportation to nurse	2.00
	\$79.08

15. Transportation of Pupils

Noah Stebbins, transporting pupils to Corser Hill school	\$360.00
Claud Hancock, transporting pupils to Corser Hill and Putney Hill school	960.00
Ernest Downes, transporting pupils to Putney Hill school	105.00
High School Transportation of pupils under 14 years of age:	
William E. Phelps	72.00
Howard E. Darling	81.50

Emerson G. Hoar	72.00
Robert H. Pearson	10.00
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	\$1,660.50

16. High School Tuition

Simonds Free High School	\$ 79.16
Hopkinton School District	316.68
Penacook Union School District	85.40
Concord Union School District	350.00
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	\$831.24

NOTE:—As the bills for the last half of the year's tuition to Penacook and Concord were not received until after the books were closed, there was a larger balance at the end of the year than was expected. The bills were as follows: Concord, \$350.00; Penacook, \$52.08.

You will note that there is an estimate of the amount due the Penacook District included on the balance sheet, but the amount due the Concord District was overlooked and therefore is not included on the balance sheet.

17. Insurance

Noah Stebbins, extra insurance on school bus	\$2.30
Claude Hancock, extra insurance on school bus	1.50
Ernest Downes, extra insurance on school bus	1.46
Farm Bureau Mutual Ins. Co., insurance on school buildings	26.03
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	\$31.29

18. Other Fixed Charges

Treasurer's bond	\$ 5.00
Per capita tax	132.00
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	\$137.00

19. Bills of Previous Year

Fowler Drug Co., medical supplies	\$.35
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VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Webster, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1939

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (If any)	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Feb. 26	Concord	Carol Alton Kimball	M L 1 W	Alton C. Kimball	Webster	Laborer	Webster	Boston, Mass.
June 1	Webster	Ronald Francis Ballou	M L 3 W	Harold M. Ballou	Webster	Laborer	Randolph, Vt.	Eastport, Me.
Aug. 8	Concord	Neal Stebbins	M L 1 W	Arthur C. Stebbins	Webster	Laborer	Greenfield, Mass.	East Andover
Oct. 24	Concord	Harry Damon Kenneson	M L 1 W	Ruth A. Keyes	Webster	Laborer	Lowell, Mass.	N. Reading, Mass.
Dec. 6	Concord	Judith Louisa Wibel	F L 1 W	Herman V. Wibel	Webster	Laborer	N. Y. City	Mt. Hope, Kan.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ADAM E. MOCK, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Webster, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1939

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of marriage	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Martial Status	Name, Residence, and Official Station of Persons by whom married
Sept. 16 Webster		Sherman Stevens, Jr. Webster	18 W Webster	Bridge worker	Sherman P. Stevens Marlboro, Mass.					1 Lauris B. Whitman Minister Hopkinton
		Florence W. Little - Hopkinton	19 W Canaan	Maid	Grace Wheelwright - Salem, Mass.					1 Lauris B. Whitman Minister Hopkinton
Feb. 17 Webster		Ernest O. Fannie - Penacook	30 W Pembroke	Elec. Inst. bld.	William B. Little - Hopkinton					1 Lauris B. Whitman Minister Hopkinton
		Ellise F. Andrews - Webster	26 W Troy, Vt.	Domestic	Oscar L. Faanie - Englewood					1 Lauris B. Whitman Minister Hopkinton
Sept. 3 Webster		Albert J. Aronian - Prov., R.I.	24 W Aponaug, R. I.	Student	Jessie Poulix - Troy, Vt.					2 Hermon L. Sawyer Minister Webster
		Bertha Edwards - Cranston, R.I.	25 W Stonington, Conn.	Nurse	Frank E. Andrews - Canada					2 Hermon L. Sawyer Minister Webster
Sept. 16 Webster		Ralph H. Keyser - Webster	22 W Andover	Truckman	Susan B. Shillito - Vermont					1 Adam E. Mock Justice of Peace Webster
		Geraldine McDonald Franklin	25 W Franklin	Cook	Albert Aronian - Armenia					1 Adam E. Mock Justice of Peace Webster
					Agnes Sogolian - Armenia					1 Adam E. Mock Justice of Peace Webster
					William Edwards - Westerly, R. I.					1 Adam E. Mock Justice of Peace Webster
					Emma Gardiner - Sutton					1 Adam E. Mock Justice of Peace Webster
					Budd H. Keyser - Mabel Keniston - Andover					1 Adam E. Mock Justice of Peace Webster
					John H. McDonald - Blue Hills, Me.					1 Adam E. Mock Justice of Peace Webster
					Winnie L. Kirk - Franklin					1 Adam E. Mock Justice of Peace Webster

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Deaths Registered in the Town of Webster, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1939

Date	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age Years Months Days	Place of Birth	Occupation	Sex & Cond.		Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
						Sex	Colr			
Jan. 18	Webster	Clara E. Blanchard	88	Hopkinton	---	F W	W	Chichester	Hopkinton	Cyrus Fish -----
Feb. 25	Webster	Frank E. Andrews	67	3 14 Corinna, Me.	---	M W	---	Maine	-----	Amanda Putnam -----
Mar. 1	Webster	Stella B. Sawyer	67	6 29 Indianapolis	---	F W M	Housewife	Rehersburg, Pa.	-----	Benj. F. Andrews -----
May 1	Webster	James M. Masson	83	5 17 Scotland	---	M W W	Retired	Scotland	-----	Erastus J. Burkert -----
Nov. 17	Webster	Grace D. Elliott	76	9 29 Hopkinton	---	F W M	Housewife	Concord	-----	John Masson -----
										Daniel G. Holmes -----
										Melinda B. Chase -----

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